

HLRP (10-22-77): "Mom called him [WAR] Will, Aunt Nettie and Aunt Jennie called him Willy, Alice Rashleigh called him Bill... many people did [call him Bill]."

HLRP (06-19-76): "Pop always wanted to be fat, and he never weighed over 150 pounds in his life."

Margaret Winter (06-17-78):

"Every dog that Grandpa [Russell] ever owned was named Jack."

"Grandpa [Russell] always drank his tea from a saucer."

"Grandma Russell always used to put a dish towel/feed bag under Grandpa's plate cause he was such a messy eater."

"Grandpa loved strawberry ice cream and wafer cones."

"Do you remember the slaughtering of the pig? Grandpa gave us the bladder and blew it up and made a balloon. Grandma gave us potatoes and told us to put them in the fire [over which the pig was being smoked] and when it was all over we had baked potatoes."

HLRP (07-22-78): "Pop used to think that a fat baby was the healthiest thing there was. He always wanted to be stout, but he never gained a pound. He ate breakfast. He ate a meal between breakfast and lunch. He ate lunch. He ate a meal between lunch and dinner and ate dinner and ate before he went to bed and he never gained a pound in his life."